

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-3215**

April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Montefiore Medical Center's Program for Telehealth Connected Care (TCC) in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Montefiore Medical Center, located at 111 E. 210th Street, Bronx, NY 10467.

The funding would be used to add stable broadband connectivity, bandwidth, and WIFI capacity to a comprehensive and integrated system of health care settings at the Montefiore School Health Program (MSHP), the largest full-service school-based network in the country which serves over 42,000 students, thus addressing the future of health care delivery by increasing access for patients and their families in the most affected, high-need areas of the Bronx.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ritchie Torres", followed by a long horizontal flourish.

Ritchie Torres  
Member of Congress